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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

AF HOLDINGS, LLC : Case No.:

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Plaintiff,

: Related Civil Action No.:

v. : 2:12-cv-00262-WCO (N.D. Ga.)

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RAJESH PATEL,

:

Defendant.

## **Declaration of Blair Chintella**

- 1. Attached to the Memorandum of Law in Support of Motion for Contempt are true and correct copies of e-mails between myself and Paul Hansmeier. Also attached are true and correct copies of the subpoena served on him and the proof of service.
- 2. On July 22, 2013, I left a voicemail with Paul Hansmeier stating that we needed to discuss his non-compliance with a subpoena that my client served on him on August 5, 2013, which is attached to the above Motion.
- 3. I was never served with an objection to the subpoena by Mr. Hansmeier and did not receive any production by its deadline of August 20, 2013.
- 4. I received a call back from Mr. Hansmeier but I was in the middle of a meeting, so I exchanged e-mail addresses with him and told him to send me an e-mail formally requesting the extension of time that he was seeking (he asked for "one week") so we could have a record of our correspondence.
  - 5. During our phone conversation, I never promised Mr. Hansmeier that I



would grant an extension of time and I can provide one or more witnesses to that fact upon request.

- 6. I never received an e-mail from Mr. Hansmeier after our conversation requesting an extension of time.
- 7. On August 27, 2013 I contacted Mr. Hansmeier again via e-mail to discuss his non-compliance, and as the attached e-mails show, Mr. Hansmeier falsely stated that I had promised an extension time, and that he fully intended to comply with the subpoena by August 30, 2013.
- 8. Despite this, I considered Mr. Hansmeier's initial request for one-week and agreed to a one-week extension of time to comply with the subpoena on behalf of my client. However, as the e-mail explains, I made it clear that my client was not granting an extension of time for Mr. Hansmeier's failure to properly object to the subpoena pursuant to Rule 4(c)(2)(B)(i).
- 9. As of signing this Declaration, I have yet to receive any production regarding the subpoena served on Mr. Hansmeier.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct:

Signature:	/s/ Blair Chintella	Date: _	8/30/2013	
_	Blair Chintella	_		